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In re Patent Application of:
Friedrich MUELLER

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For: DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM OR
COMMUNICATIONS TERMINAL WITH A
DEVICE FOR RECOGNIZING SPEECH AND
METHOD FOR RECOGNIZING CERTAIN
ACOUSTIC OBJECTS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated October 22, 2003, for which a response is due on January 22, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.